MONTANA ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT RULES

FLATHEAD COUNTY

Rules being revised Contact Court Administrator Bonnie J. Olson 758-5665

Also see Montana Uniform District Court Rules

Notice of Court-Ordered Educational Program

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Eleventh Judicial District Court requires the parties to a divorce and/or custody case involving a minor child to satisfactorily complete an approved educational program concerning the effects of divorce and custody proceedings on children, in accordance with Section 40-4-226, M.C.A.

YOU ARE REQUIRED within ten (10) days of your receiptof this Notice to contact the office of Family Court Services, 1020 South Main, Kalispell, MT 59901, Telephone: (406) 758-5724, to obtain information concerning the program. The fees and costs for the program must be paid by the parties, and the Court has the authority, at the time of further proceedings in your case, to assess the fees in any manner deemed equitable by the Court.

There will be not further proceedings in this case regarding custody or visitation issues, except under compelling circumstances, and the divorce will not be finalized until both parties have complied with this requirement. FAILURE TO COMPLY with this requirement may also result in contempt of Court proceedings, and a finding of contempt is punishable by a fine and/or incarceration.

BY ORDER of the judges of the Eleventh Judicial District Court, this 17th day of April, 1996.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF FLATHEAD

STANDING ORDER

In order to more efficiently manage the <u>ex parte</u>, motions being presented to the Court, the two Departments of the Eleventh Judicial District Court of the State of Montana will require the moving party and/or their attorney to personally present the <u>ex parte</u> motion to the Court. The motion and other necessary paperwork should be accompanied by the full court file. The Court also reminds and admonishes parties and/or their attorneys to submit the required affidavits setting forth the necessary information in order to meet the statutory requirements.

DATED this 25th day of September, 1995